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SUBJECT: OAS SCCN MEETING: BRAZILIAN DELEGATION; POSSIBLE
CONSULTATIONS ON TRADE; AND POSITION ON SUGAR

REF: (A) STATE 90525, (B) STATE 5132, (C) STATE 94471

1. FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL INFORMED EMBASSY THAT BRAZILIAN DELEGATION TO OAS SCCN MEETING IN SANTO DOMINGO WOULD BE LED BY AMBASSADOR AMAURY BIER, CURRENTLY BRAZIL'S AMBASSADOR TO TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO AND FORMERLY BRAZIL'S REPRESENTATIVE TO UN GENEVA MISSION AND GATT. DELEGATION WILL ALSO INCLUDE MINISTER LUIZ VILLARINHO PEDROSO AND CALUDIA D'ANGELO FROM BRAZIL'S OAS MISSION IN WASHINGTON.

2. WE BELIEVE THAT GOB INTEREST IN HIGH-LEVEL CONSULTATION WITH US ON TRADEISSUES AT SCCN MEETING IS LIMITED, DUE IN PART TO MEETING OF US-BRAZIL SUB-GROUP ON TRADE IN BRASILIA MAY 8 AND 9 (AMBASSADOR WOLFF WILL LEAD US TEAM).
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GOB MAY JOIN OTHER MEMBERS TO PRESS US ON ESP AT THIS SCCN MEETING, AS IT DID AT BUENOS AIRES SCCN MEETING.

3. CHIEF OF FOREIGN MINISTRY'S BASIC PRODUCTS DIVISION PEREZ TOLD ECONOFF APRIL 17 THAT BRAZIL WOULD OF COURSE SUPPORT OTHER SUGAR EXPORTERS AGAINST US ON SUGAR ISSUE TO BE RAISED AT SCCN. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT

BRAZIL WOULD TRY TO MAINTAIN A LOW PROFILE ON THIS
ISSUE SINCE IT WAS NOT NEW (IT HAD BEEN SUBJECT OF
SPECIAL JANUARY SCCN MEETING (REF B) AND BECAUSE
BRAZIL PREFERRED TO KNOW WHAT FINAL ITC SUGAR DECISION
(REF C) WOULD BE BEFORE ENGAGING IN NEW PROTEST. IN
REGARD TO ITC DECISION, PEREZ REMARKED THAT HE HOPED
ITC WOULD NOT RECOMMEND A RETURN TO SUGAR IMPORT
QUOTAS FOR THE US, WHICH HE CALLED "COMPLICATED AND
OLD-FASHIONED." IN A GENERAL COMMENT, PEREZ NOTED
WITH DISMAY THAT THE US APPEARED TO BE ATTEMPTING TO
RUIN THE ISA BEFORE THE ISA EVER HAD A CHANCE TO
OPERATE.
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